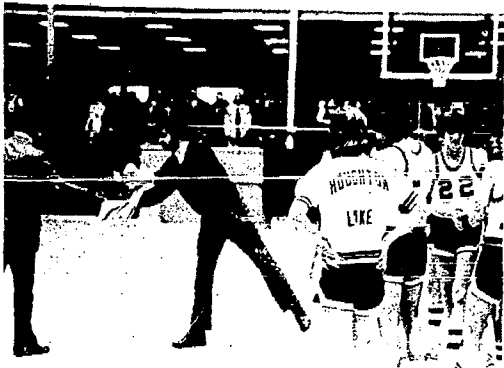


Houghton Lake Bobcats Are District Champs



(Houghton Lake Resorter Photo)

Bobcat Coach Chuck Mercer Accepts Trophy—

In a double overtime thriller here last Friday, the Houghton Lake Bobcats turned back the Kalkaska Blue Blazers, 65-62, for the class C district title, and the right to return here this Wednesday in regional play, and will meet the Benzie Central Huskies.

Houghton Lake and Kalkaska had drew byes in district play, and moved into the finals, when the Bobcats scored a 54-53 squeaker over the Grayling Vikings, and the Blue Blazers took an easy victory over Alcona, 66-54.

For the winning Bobcats, one player made the difference in both games, and has to be named the number one player for the districts.

Mike Hall, 6'2" junior center, tossed in 29 points on 12 buckets and 5 free throws against Grayling on Wednesday, and then came back in the finals with Kasky to make a point, 32 of a game, on 9 buckets and 14 charity tosses.

In the finals, the Bobcats and Blazers were all tied at 58-58 in at regulation time, and 60 all in the 1st overtime. With 14 seconds to go in the 2nd overtime Kalkaska blew their chance for victory, but when they missed on 2 free throws with the score, 63-62, in favor of the Lakers. The Bobcats scored one more bucket to tie their victory.

In both their victories over Grayling and Kalkaska, the Bobcats controlled both boards, and made less turnovers.

In the Grayling-Houghton Lake contest, Wayne Westervelt tossed in 23 points on 10-3, and Bert Kaiser hit for 13 on 6-1, to be in double figures. They were followed by Mark Hanson with 9, Doug Hinkle 4, and Dan McClain and Randy Lavrak 2 each.

To Meet

The registered nurses of the North Central District of the Michigan Nurses Association would like to reorganize at a Dinner Meeting March 20 at Grayling Holiday Inn at 6:30. For reservations call Mary Lou Nye (275-5050) before March 18.

Thank You,
Mary Lou Nye, R.N.

Alumni News

There will be an active G.H.S. Alumni Association again. At the request of Superintendent Fraser Dean, the Past Board of Directors will get it started. Past President James LaGrow has resigned and I have been named President Pro Tem.

More news next week.
Clara L. Sorenson



Leaves for Job Corps—Winnie Elliott, 16, daughter of Mrs. Emily Elliott of Grayling left Tuesday to attend the Guthrie Job Corps Center in Guthrie, Oklahoma. Winnie is the first Crawford County youth to take advantage of this government sponsored 2 year program that is set up for young people who have not finished high school, and cannot find good jobs. She plans to take a course in cosmetology, and will also receive a high school diploma on completion of the 2 years. Winnie is shown above receiving her travel and entrance papers from, Don Amstutz, Crawford County Manpower Specialist, with the Work Incentive Program of the Michigan Employment Security Commission, while Ruth Ann Meaker, secretary to Prosecuting Attorney, John Huss, who administered the oath, in the absence of Mr. Huss.

Pottery And Prints Display At Kirtland



The work of Doug Delind, will be on display in the Kirtland Community College Library during the month of March. Mr. Delind has conducted one man shows at: Brestler Eitel Gallery, Milwaukee; Lansing Community Gallery; and Okemos Public Library. His works have been displayed across the country in the following galleries:

Gallerie Louisa, Grand Rapids; Art Forms, Detroit; W.A.B., Douglas, Celebration, Saugatuck; Shera Galleries, Grand Rapids; Brestler Eitel, Milwaukee; Turtle Creek, San Antonio; B's Tempe; Frame House, Ogeden; Suzuki, New York City; and London Limited, Reynoldsburg. The public is invited to view Mr. Delind's collection.

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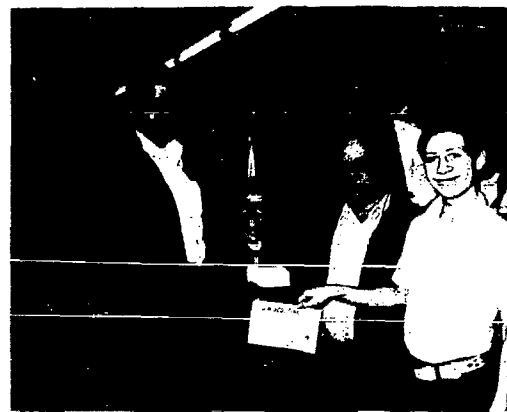
Councilmen Salary Change Adopted

The compensation commission at their meeting Monday evening voted unanimously to recommend to the City Council a change in the salaries for the mayor and councilmen.

The new salary scale adopted was set at \$20 per meeting attended, and the mayor shall receive an extra \$240, with the wording as stipulated in the city charter to govern the specific actions of the councilmen.

The charter reads as follows: Members of the council shall be paid \$20.00 per meeting attended not to exceed however a total of 24 meetings in any one year, and in addition thereto, they shall be paid all necessary expenses incurred by them or any of them in the service of the city, upon presentation of a proper statement of such expenses and upon approval thereof by the affirmative vote of not less than 3 members of the council. Provided Further, that the Mayor of said city shall receive an annual salary of \$240.00 in addition to the above stated \$20.00 per meeting.

In January of this year, the commission was appointed, and consists of Al Westervelt, James Duley, Larry McNamara, John Wejrowski and H. D. Madsen.



Look what's happening in Frederic! Attention, all eligible young men between the ages of 11-18! Frederic has started a Boy Scout Troop. Harold Barker is in full charge of the Troop and to help them start it off, Vice-President Bill Moody of the AuSable Sno-Birds of Frederic presented the Scouts with a check for \$50.00 on behalf of the club. The money is to go for whatever is needed. Any further help from groups or individuals would be greatly appreciated. Contact Mr. or Mrs. Harold Barker, 348-9857.

Frederic Library Site Fund

These Donations have come into the Frederic Community Library towards the lots we are purchasing as a site for our future Library.

The donations are as follows: \$2 Mrs. Kenneth Graham, \$10 Mrs. Ray Norton in Memory of Raymond D. Norton, \$10 Mr. & Mrs. Fay Barrows, \$25 Florence Leng in Memory of Wm. M. Leng, \$10 Mrs. Wilhelm Raue, \$10 Mr. & Mrs. Gerry Bender in Memory of Charles & Dorothy Lane, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Donald Geiss, \$10 Hutchins Real Estate Company, \$1 Jerry McEvers, \$10 Mr. & Mrs. James Packard.

Memorials

These Memorials have been placed at the Frederic Community Library.

Edwin Martindale Sr. placed a Memorial in loving memory of his wife Emma R. Martindale.

Florence Leng placed a Memorial in loving memory of her husband William M. Leng.

These Memorials have gone towards the lots for our Library.

8th Grade And Parents To Meet

A meeting will be held in the Joseph Stripe Auditorium at the Grayling High School for all 8th grade students and their parents on Monday, March 18th at 7:30 and Wednesday, March 20th at 7:30. Students and their parents may select either meeting to attend. Kent Reynolds, High School Principal and Counselors Robert Bovee, Marge Benjamin and Wiley Morris will discuss the high school curriculum schedule selections process, academic and vocational courses of study, graduation requirements and will answer questions from the group.

It is quite important that 8th graders and their parents attend one of these meetings as information on scheduling for high school will be distributed and discussed so that these students can begin selecting their schedules next week.

Any questions should be directed to the high school at 348-7641.

SQUARE DANCE AT M. M. CHURCH

Michelson Methodist church again invites the Community to a family square dance, Friday, March 15 - 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. There is no charge - Nursery care for children infant thru 6 years old will be provided. All other children are invited to the dance.

WARNING

The Artillery Range at Camp Grayling, located North of County Road 612 and South of the North Branch of the AuSable River, will be used by National Guard units 12-16 Mar. 74 for air to ground range firing. These ranges will be closed on above dates and all persons are warned to stay out of these areas.

Students Learn Why There Are Fewer Deer

By Willard Bosserman
County Extension Director

The fifth and sixth grade students in the Houghton Lake and Crawford AuSable school systems learned why the deer herd is smaller. I visited the two classes during the week of February 25 with an ecology slide program.

The ecology story is actually a story of plant succession. The slides tell how the kinds of animals (wildlife) changes as the plants growing on the land change. Northern Michigan has seen some drastic plant changes in the past 75 years.

When our forefathers started cutting the timber, there were

few deer. There just isn't much deer food in a forest such as Northern Michigan had before it was cut.

The timber harvest was about completed by 1920. Regrowth was kept in check because of the many fires sweeping through the slash.

By the 1930's the forest fires were pretty well under control. The Aspen and Jack Pine we have today started to grow. The young Aspen gave an abundance of deer food. Aspen isn't the deer's most favorite food but they eat it. By the early 1940's the deer herd reached its peak. By the 1950's the young Aspen began to mature and grow out of reach of

the deer. In the meantime the large deer herd had just about eaten all of the cedar in the winter yards. There was very little winter food available for the deer. So in the late 1950's each spring would see many deer which had starved to death during the winter.

The normal plant succession after the timber cut was responsible for the increase deer food supply and consequently large deer herd. When the food supply grew out of reach, the deer herd had to become smaller. It either became smaller by part of them dying off from starvation or by harvesting more through the hunting season.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources thought it would be more humane to harvest them. They therefore started taking does and fawns in certain over populated areas.

Home development for people also took many acres out of deer food production.

Merrill Petoskey's program for one million deer by 1980 is simply a method of setting plant succession back to the young tree stage in order to supply food for the deer. Petoskey is with the Department of Natural Resources.

Another alternative would be to learn to appreciate the wildlife associated with a forest cover.

Register Now For Adult Ed. Spring Term

Registration for the Spring Term of Adult Enrichment Classes offered by the Crawford AuSable Schools Community Schools Program can now be completed by phone with the first class sessions getting under way the week of March 18. Registration can be completed this term by simply calling 348-7641 and asking for Adult Education. Collection of tuition fees will be completed at the first class session.

A complete list of classes offered this term can be found elsewhere in this issue of the Avalanche as well as the schedule and room locations. Most classes require a minimum of 10 students before they can be offered. More information about these classes can be obtained by calling the Community School Office any afternoon or evening, or by stopping in at the Community School Office which is located in the new Grayling High School.

It should be noted that this term there are several classes being offered free of charge. Also there are several classes that are particularly well suited to the time of year such as Bait and Fly Casting and Gardening and Landscaping. Other classes such as Macrame and Dog Obedience are being offered because they have been requested by members of the community.

Adult enrichment Classes provide an excellent opportunity for citizens and taxpayers of the Crawford AuSable School District to visit their new high school building and utilize this beautiful facility to its fullest. Remember, any question concerning Adult Education in the Crawford AuSable School District or the surrounding area can be answered by a call to the Community School Office any afternoon or evening.

Salesman Of The Year For Bear



The 2nd Annual 'Salesman of The Year' Award was presented to H. Saffell Blackburn, Jr., Bear Archery District Manager, by Fred Bear, President of Bear Archery, Division Victor Comptometer Corporation during the recent National Sporting Goods Association Show in Chicago, Illinois.

The Award is presented to the salesman who, during the year, demonstrates his ability [See Salesman page 12].

Counties Must Designate Act Enforcer

By Willard Bosserman,
County Extension Director

According to act 347 of Public Acts of 1972 each county must by resolution designate an enforcing agency to enforce the Sedimentation Act.

Crawford county has pretty well taken care of their soil erosion ordinance and has designated the zoning administrator to administer their ordinance.

Roscommon has neither soil erosion ordinance or zoning administrator, therefore must consider whom to designate to administer the state act.

A county need not adopt its own ordinance. It can assume enforcement responsibility of the state rules. If however, a county had a specific problem which it felt controls more stringent than the state's rules were needed, an ordinance would serve that purpose.

I do have a set of rules which were approved by the Water Resources Commission on February 21. The rules now go to the Attorney General for legal review and then to the joint House Senate Rules Committee for final approval. This may take two months. I am advised the rules I have can be used as a basis on which to do some planning.

All counties by April 1, 1974 have to pass a resolution designating a county agency as the county enforcing agency responsible for administration and enforcement in the name of the county. The resolution may set forth a schedule of fees for inspections, plan reviews and permits and may set forth other matters relating to the administration and enforcement of this act and the rules. A copy of the resolution and all subsequent amendments thereto shall be forwarded to the Water Resources Commission of the Department of Natural Resources.

There May Be Good News Ahead For Home Owners With Pride

Home owners who take enough pride in their property to maintain it and make improvements on it may have good news in store for them.

The senate unanimously passed a bill last week to allow

property owners to spend at least \$4,000 for maintenance or improvements to their property without facing the almost inevitable property tax increase.

As the bill emerged from the Senate taxation and veterans' affairs committee, it provided that the cash value of a property could not be increased for tax purposes for expenditures of less than \$3,000 but the bill was amended on the floor by raising the figure to \$4,000.

If passed by the House of Representatives and signed by the Governor, the new law would be the answer to numerous complaints from home owners who have taken pride in their property by spending money to maintain it or improve it, only to receive an increase in their property taxes in exchange for their efforts.

Some home owners have long contended that the reverse should have been true—that property taxes should have been increased for people who permitted their property to run down through neglect. But that philosophy failed to gain much credence because it would often penalize retirees and others living on limited incomes.

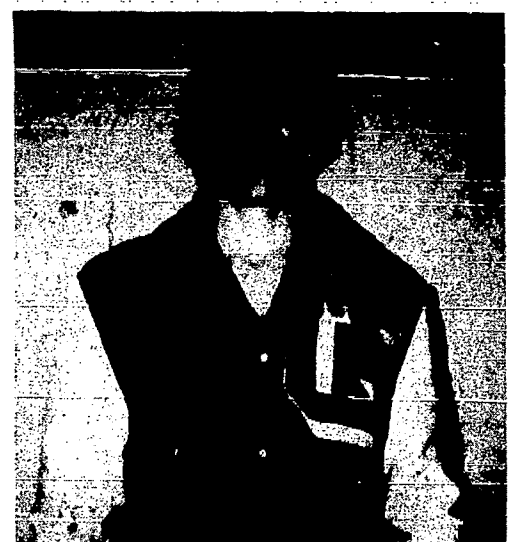
March Madness At Kirtland

Kirtland's Student Senate Entertainment committee will present a talent show, Thursday, March 14 at 8:00 p.m., in the Kirtland Auditorium. Twelve acts are scheduled and are reported to be very entertaining. The performers are made up of local talent. Kirtland students and Kirtland instructors.

The theme of this year's Talent Show is 'Get It Together.' Admission is free and the public is invited to attend the event.

RUMMAGE SALE

The Pine Tree Humane Society will be having a Rummage Sale in the old bank Building March 29-31st. Hours will be: 29th, Noon-9; 30th, 9-5; and the 31st, 10-2.



Places 7th in State—Carl Partello represented the Grayling Vikings in the Class "C" State Wrestling Tournament held at Haslett High School in East Lansing last Friday and Saturday, and placed 7th in his division. He finished the season with a 23-6 record. Carl is the first Viking wrestler to reach the state finals. He was defeated in the finals by Elroy Flores of Shelby, who finished 2nd in the state with a 36-4 record. Viking Wrestling Coach, Don Ferguson, accompanied Carl to the state meet.

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"If It Fitz..."

Women shouldn't squawk



By Jim Fitzgerald

A girl named Sandie Waun wants my opinion of Women's Lib. She wrote me:

"I am a senior at Sandusky High School, presently enrolled in a journalism class. I am doing an article on Women's Lib. I would appreciate it if you would give me your opinion, pro or con."

Dear Sandie:

I don't know if it has anything to do with Women's Lib, but I certainly do like women who ask for my opinion. In fact, that's how my wife won me. She was a new secretary in our newspaper office and I was Clark Kent with no "S" on my underwear. The same day I met her, she asked me if I thought it would rain that evening and I was so overwhelmed I asked her to marry me.

My problem was that I was raised in a matriarchate (ask your teacher). I had 4 sisters,

led by Terrible Jean, no brothers, 1 mother and a father who traveled a lot. The only time any of those women sought my opinion was when Terrible Jean asked me if I'd had enough. She was usually sitting on my back, pounding my head, and my opinion was always yes, I had.

So you see, Sandie, I've had a tough time adjusting to this Women's Lib thing. I was drafted into World War II before I learned women didn't swing the big stick everywhere. The biggest surprise was learning Hitler wasn't a woman.

And the biggest puzzle was how come, if men ruled the world, I got drafted into the lousy army and Terrible Jean didn't? This still puzzles me.

Also, what about good manners? My mother taught me to open doors for women and to never say dirty words in front of them. These are habits I cannot shake. When a woman drops something, I

automatically get on my knees and start looking for it. This was OK when I was 15. But lately, some of the women have been forced to show their gratitude by helping me to my feet and assisting me to the nearest rest home.

Another thing, Sandie, is I would rather admire a pretty woman than anything else. And this isn't a sexist, ogling thing. I don't want to assault them or even pinch. I just appreciate looking at them, the same way I'd admire a rainbow or a 3-cushion bank of the 8-ball into the side pocket.

Then there is the money thing. In the usual family, the man goes out and makes it so the women can spend it. No lie, housework and child-rearing are not simple tasks. Housewives earn their keep. But it is Old Dad who must produce or get fired. It's a difference in pressure. If your mother forgets to dust on Monday, it's no big deal, she

can do it another time. But if Dad doesn't make his quota on Monday, he may be jobless Tuesday and the father of a hungry family by Friday. It's a responsibility that can weigh on a person a lot heavier than dirty diapers.

Women's Lib is absolutely right when it says Terrible Jean and I should get the same pay if we do the same work. We should have the same chance to get a job and her credit card should be worth as much as mine. But other than that, Sandie, I don't see where you women have much to squawk about.

Men court you and support you and protect you and help you put on your coat. And all we marvelous fellows ask in return is that you don't wear curlers downtown.

It may be a man's world, Sandie, but most of us are exceedingly magnanimous about it (ask your teacher — unless she's a woman).

— Onward and Upward ↑

Kirtland Fills Three Positions

The Kirtland Board of Trustees added three temporary personnel to the staff, effective through June 30, 1974.

Chester F. Surline will assume the position of Acting Dean of Students. Mr. Surline was superintendent of West Branch-Rose City Area Schools for twenty five years until his retirement recently. Robert A. Sienger, President of Kirtland said, "We were extremely fortunate to have Chet respond to our call for assistance. He brings a vast amount of administrative expertise and leadership qualities to the position that will keep the division running efficiently while we study

the matter of reorganization."

William L. Evans will assume recruitment and placement duties. Mr. Evans has twenty five years of management experience with the Ford Motor Company and has both a B. S. and Master's Degree from Wayne State University. He will be meeting the recruiting appointments made by Mr. Gene Lukshaitis before his resignation.

Mrs. Margaret Gallop, a former employee of Kirtland, will return as secretary to the Acting Dean of Students and as a financial aids officer. College officials indicated that they were very pleased to have an employee with Peg's competence and energy back on the staff.

At the regular meeting of the Board last week Trustee Robert F. Bovee, commented, "We are taking a close look at the student affairs division. Presently we are not convinced that the answer to all our problems is adding personnel and increasing costs. We want to hire employees who believe in the college and service to the community, who are willing to devote extra time and go the 'extra mile' to make the college a success, and who have the drive, energy and competence to do an outstanding job."

Assembly Of God Program

Evangelism on campus will be the theme of the morning service, March 17th, at the Assembly of God Church. Steve Smith, director of Campus Action at Ferris State College, will be presenting the hows and happenings of sharing the gospel on a college campus.

Instead of thinking about the drugs, sex, and rebellion just in terms of student unrest, Rev. Smith says these things are symptomatic of a search for satisfaction in life. Campus Action is built on the principle that Jesus Christ is the only genuine answer for mankind.

Even though the institutionalized church is ignored to a large extent by students today there is still a deep interest in religion and in the supernatural. Eastern mystical religions and witchcraft are enjoying an unprecedented revival among the educated today. There is a strong interest in the person Jesus Christ. It is to these areas that Campus Action addresses itself as a Bible-believing group.

Prior to his appointment with Campus Action, Rev. Smith pastored the Morrisville Assembly of God Church near Springfield, Missouri. Campus Action is one of the varied ministries of the Michigan District of the Assemblies of God.

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"Working with its licensees, Holiday Inns, Inc., expanded its efforts to bring quality food and lodging services to every major city in the world," said Ron Fraser, innkeeper at the Holiday Inn of Grayling.

Year-end reports showed that 137 inns were under construction and that additional rooms were being added to 33 inns.

An estimated 286 inns were in various stages of planning. Of that total, 89 were planned for construction outside the U.S.

"There are now Holiday Inns open or under construction on every continent except Antarctica," said Fraser.

At year's end, 3 Holiday Inns were open in Asia, 12 in Africa, 1,518 in North America and 43 in Europe. A total of 15 inns were open on various international islands, primarily in the Caribbean area.

Under construction were 7 inns in Asia, 7 in Africa, 2 in Australia, 107 in North America, 4 in Central and South America, 8 in Europe, 1 in French Polynesia and 1 in the West Indies.

Food Bill
Of more than \$116 billion spent for food last year, 70 cents out of every dollar was for food served at home.

To Meet

On Thursday, March 21, the Roscommon Area Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 pm at the Library of the St. Helen Elementary School in St. Helen. The program will feature as its speaker, James Rutledge, Attorney, of Roscommon who will speak on the subject: Legal Rights of Women. Mrs. Beverly Short of West Branch will preside as chairman of the evening. Mrs. Mona Moore of Houghton Lake will serve as hostess.

Membership to AAUW is open to all women with a degree from a college or university. Guests are most cordially invited to attend the meeting and apply for membership.

FREDERIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL STORY HOUR

The next Pre-School Story Hour at Frederic Elementary will be held Tuesday, March 19, 1974 at 10:00 a.m.

Fraser Dean, Superintendent, will be the speaker. He will talk about school operation, and answer questions. Bring your pre-schooler for a story, cookies and milk - and you for coffee, cookies and interesting information.

MEETING NOTICE

The Regular monthly meeting of Mercy Hospital Auxiliary will be held Thursday March 18, 1:00 p.m. at Mercy Hospital North wing.

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TODAY'S ANSWER

1. St. John's bread	2. Old West war trophy	3. Avatar of Vishnu	4. Poem	5. Unsuitable moment (2 wds.)	6. Glistened	7. Egyptian Christian	8. Snake	9. Actor Van Cleef	10. Average	11. Ploved field	12. O.T. prophet	13. Term for a snob (2 wds.)	14. Re-gression	15. Highest note	16. Bivouac	17. Key	18. Friction or magnetic	19. Czech river	20. Ethereal	21. Armadillo	22. Farm structure	23. Freight boat	24. Fencing foil	25. Free from burden	26. Trade name	27. Equal	28. Howdy	29. Other-wise	30. Sun Valley sports item	31. Hebrew teaching master	32. Island (Fr.)	33. New Mexican Indian	34. Monk's title
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WRONG PATIENT

As was prophesied by opponents of gun control laws that would prohibit law-abiding citizens from owning firearms, criminals can always find a gun to commit a crime. Following passage of the 1968 gun-control act, theft of firearms has skyrocketed. Even the U.S. Army has lost about 4,000 guns in major thefts since 1968. In fact, since 1968, gun stealing has taken on the proportions of big business.

Writes William M. Bulkeley in The Wall Street Journal, 'In the aftermath of tightening gun control, gun stealing has become a natural underworld business with ready markets and high profits, law enforcement officials say. Stolen guns now often sell at higher prices than new guns because they can't be traced to the new owner, federal undercover agents say. And numerous burglary and fencing rings specializing in guns have been formed to exploit the new high-profit market, they say. Bureau of Alcohol agents in St. Louis last May uncovered a big, well-organized, three-state ring after buying 18 guns that had been reported stolen. 'It's a very profitable business, and it's going to get more profitable as the law gets tougher,' says Paul J. Lyon of the New Orleans office of the federal agency.'

Opponents of antiqu legislation have said all along that taking guns away from the law-abiding in an attempt to curb crime leaves the field of gun possession wide open to criminals who have no intention of obeying the law anyway. The only way to curb criminals is to punish criminals. As many authorities have advocated, crimes committed with firearms should carry heavy mandatory penalties. Disarming those who respect the law is like a doctor trying to cure a patient by puring the medicine down the next door neighbor's throat.

National Wildlife Week

National Wildlife Week is to be observed March 17-23. The theme of the week in 1971 is particularly significant. Emphasis is to be on the cause of Endangered Species. The term refers to 'wildlife species that still live, but are in danger of becoming extinct, never to be seen again on Earth by man.

It is a tragic fact that a single careless hunter, in the case of certain Endangered Species, could extinguish forever a life form that has filled a niche in nature's scheme of things through countless ages. The Endangered Species Preservation Act passed in 1966 directed the Secretary of the Interior to publish a list of native species threatened with extinction. The list includes over 100 animals. Among these are the whooping crane, the tallest bird in North America; the California condor, the largest land soaring bird on the continent; the wolf; the cougar and the alligator.

These are a few of many species whose presence in the future depends upon the preservation efforts of man. National Wildlife Week should be a time for everyone to devote serious thought to the tragedy of needless wildlife extinction.

The madeap month

AND SO IT'S MARCH. No matter what blizzards and drifts the madeap month may bring, we know that winter is on the wane, that the swing is from the deep-freeze into the treacherously balmy breezes of early spring.

It is the month when nature's miraculous rebirth begins. No wonder March was the beginning of the calendar year for centuries, and only the logic of the change can be questioned.

The sun climbs higher, comes earlier and stays longer. Soon the melting sun-pocked snow will give way to still-green but faded grass. Brave snowflakes and then the crocuses will lead us on to the daffodils. Skates will give way to hopscotch, and snowsuits to knec socks.

To the Romans it was the month of Martius, after the god of war. The old Anglo-Saxons knew it both as Klyd-monath, the 'loud and stormy month' and Leneten-monath, the 'lengthening month.' And we all hope it will be the lamblike month.

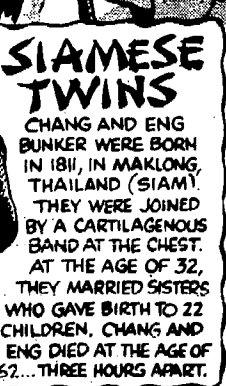
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3 Crawford County Avaiance

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

23 YEARS AGO
MARCH 15, 1951

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller drove over to Oscoda Saturday on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McClain had dinner Sunday with the Hank Schmidt's at Shu-Pac Lake.

Richard Dawson spent a few days in Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Bidvia left Sunday for Detroit and Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Strong, son Robert and Carl Golnick spent the weekend in Detroit visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Elston.

The Junior Youth Fellowship of Michelson Memorial Church enjoyed a skating party in Gaylord on Saturday. The senior group spent Sunday evening at the Spencer church, where they furnished a musical program and showed some pictures.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Horning at Mercy Hospital on Wednesday, March 7. He has been named John Wesley. Mrs. Horning and son were released from the hospital on Sunday.

Miss Barbara Borchers and friend Miss Helen Gould of Three Rivers visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Borchers here recently. Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Barrus left for their home in Lansing last Thursday after spending several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tufts left last Thursday for Ft. Riley, Kansas to spend the remainder of the month. Mr. Tufts a reserve officer of the U. S. Army is instructing at the camp.

Comm. and Mrs. George Griffith have returned home after spending the past week in Milwaukee, where they attended the Wildlife Conference held at the Hotel Schroeder.

Mrs. Bertha Williams has arrived home from Flint, after spending the winter there.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert left for Detroit Tuesday, the former to attend the annual post graduate convention of the Michigan Medical Society.

James Kitchen has passed his physical test for the Air Corps and left Monday evening by plane to Lackland Field, Florida.

Earl Gierke spent the weekend in Detroit visiting his mother, Mrs. A. F. Gierke.

46 YEARS AGO
MARCH 15, 1928

Jack Zeder has been ill at his home with a siege of tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Nelson are the happy parents of a son who arrived at their home Tuesday.

To celebrate her daughter Joan's birthday, Mrs. David Montour entertained eight little boys and girls last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hagman are enjoying a visit from their daughter Mrs. Felix Erickson, who arrived Monday from Pocatello, Idaho.

A nine pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Canfield of Beaver Creek Township on Tuesday, March 4th.

County Clerk Charles Gierke announces that he has received a supply of the new resident trout fishing licenses.

The Embury-Martin mill whistling is sweet music. The mill is now getting into full operation.

Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre and children left yesterday for Niles, Michigan to join Mr. St. Pierre, who has been employed on the railroad there since December.

Here's hoping the snow will soon be a thing of the past. Old residents can not remember the beautiful being drifted and piled up like it is this year. Some families have been snowed in almost entirely the past week.

Frank Leng, mother and friend were here last week visiting Mrs. Albert Lewis and the Lang brothers.

Max Tobin is afflicted with the flu at present.

The concert given by the children of the primary department of the Michelson Sunday school at church last Friday was a huge success. Those taking part were Patricia McKenna, Albert Knibbs, Bobby Welsh, Donald Wood, Madeline Greenwood, Helen Elaine McLeod, Dorothy Wakeley, Margaret Smith, Perry Greenwood, Ruth Burrows, Eva Wheeler, Gloria McNeven, John Hanson, Beatrice and Virginia Peterson, Charles Bradley, Billy Joseph, Floyd Wylie, Fred Wood, Percy Griffin and Georgiana Lands.

Don Gothro was platform manager. Mrs. Peter McNeven who is superintendent of the primary department is to be congratulated.

Hot Lunch Menu

March 18 thru March 22

Monday: Hot dogs/Buns, relishes, Vegetable, Fruit.

Tuesday: Bean Soup, Crackers, Bread and Peanut Butter, Cobbler.

Wednesday: Hamburg Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Bread and Butter, Jello.

Thursday: Spanish Rice, Vegetable, Bread and Butter, Fruit.

Friday: Chicken (oven-fried) Mashed Potatoes/Gravy, Bread and Butter, Jello.

Milk is served daily. Menu is subject to change without notice.

Worthy Cow

A farmer came into town last Saturday night and he asked how much a hamburger cost. The waitress told him: '\$2.' The farmer said to his wife: 'Do you realize we have a cow at home worth \$90,000?'

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on Abortion

During the fall of 1972, many of us worked hard to stop abortion reform in the State of Michigan. Millions of enlightened people in Michigan voted to stop such activity in our state. Our success was short lived as the U.S. Supreme Court struck down the abortion laws in Texas and Georgia on January 22, 1973, and thereby limited any State's right to prohibit abortion.

The basis for their decision was the right to privacy as protected by the fourteenth amendment. They feel that during the first three months of pregnancy, the decision to abort rests solely with the woman and her doctor. By this decision we find seven men ignoring the democratic choice of millions of citizens, and showing utter unconcern for the destiny of seven hundred thousand babies now legally aborted per year.

As John T. Noonan, Jr., of the University of California at Berkeley said: 'The Supreme Court has stripped all protection from a person from the time of conception until the time of birth.'

This is another of many areas where our courts have been so concerned about the rights of the criminal that they have completely overlooked the victim, and any rights he might have.

The Supreme Court has assumed without any supporting evidence or proof, that the human fetus is not a living being until the age of viability, that point when the baby can survive outside the mother's body. They have ignored seven other possibilities concerning when an unborn baby becomes a person: 1) at 11 or 12 weeks when all organ systems are present and functioning; 2) at 10 weeks when the structure of the body is perfectly formed; 3) at 6 weeks when brain activity can be measured; 4) at 3 weeks when the heart beat can be measured; 5) at the blastocyst stage when twins are formed; 6) at the zygote stage, or 7) at conception, the moment the sperm fertilizes the ovum.

There is no set age for viability, 30 years ago it was about 30 weeks, today it is about 20 weeks with our present external life support systems. It is not unreasonable to consider the possibility that some day science will be able to remove the ovum from the mother and sperms from the father, and then be able to bring a person from conception to maturity without the aid of either parent. If such a creature is not considered a human being at conception, what will be the criteria for such a judgment? Words like 'socialization,' 'emotional life,' and 'intelligence' are already being proposed by some for such criteria. As law

professor Dr. Joseph Witherspoon said, 'We have the same problem that faced Germany during the Nazi regime.'

Abortion is a growing issue in the hearts and minds of ordinary American people. The U.S. News & World Report on page 43 of their March 4, 1974 edition reported: 'Furor Over Abortion - Hotter Than Ever.' What are the rights of an unborn child? The question is stirring debate - and a nationwide drive by antiabortion forces to overturn a historic court ruling. Several constitutional amendments are pending in Congress which would either limit abortions stringently, or return this question to the states. Congressmen on both sides are slow to act because of possible public reaction at the polls.

The appeal to the 14th amendment and women's rights to privacy is not being applied to stealing, lying, adultery and other immoral practices. What twisted concept of logic can give a woman the legal right to murder her own children in privacy? Jesus said, '...Thou shalt do no murder...'

Please write your congressman and let him know how you feel on this important question.

Pastor Barnett

5 On Ferris Honors List

Ferris State College has honored 1481 students for scholastic excellence during the winter quarter by naming them to the Academic Honors List. Dr. James V. Farrell, vice president for academic affairs, has announced.

Among the students named to the Honors List from the Grayling area were: Audrey Ann Keuom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keuom of Frederic; Diane T. Duley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Duley; Richard C. Gould, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Gould; Steven J. Lagrow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lagrow; and Michael J. McNamara, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McNamara, all of Grayling.

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Slower Speed Limit Bill Passed

The House of Representatives last week passed the bill lowering speed limits on Michigan highways to 55 miles per hour and as you read this new signs are probably already being installed.

As passed, the bill exempts drivers from penalty points on their driving records for speeding between 55 miles per hour and 70 miles per hour on limited access expressways. Drivers would still receive points for exceeding the 70 miles per hour former maximum, as well as maximum posted limits on roadways other than limited access.

During the debate, efforts were made to retain the point system for any and all speeding violations. In fact, an amendment applying the point system to the new lower speed limits was earlier adopted, but attempts to remove the penalty points were successful. Law enforcement officials argued that without the point penalty, which could cause a person to lose his driver's license, enforcement will be impeded because many motorists will risk paying fines for driving faster.

The lower speed limits were ordered by the Federal Government as a means to conserve gasoline. The states were ordered to reduce speed limits by March 5 or face the loss of federal highway funds. In Michigan's case the federal funds that might have been lost exceed \$200 million.

State Police Director Col. John R. Plants said today that State Police patrols would begin enforcing the new 55-mile an hour speed limit throughout Michigan effective March 16. He said this should serve to clear up any misinterpretations caused by previous publicity.

Plants said this lower speed enforcement policy by the State Police is predicated on a State Highway Department forecast that highway placement of the new speed limit signs would be completed statewide as of Friday, March 15.

The State Police director pointed out that his patrols until March 16 will be making traffic stops to issue verbal warnings to motorists who exceed the 55 miles an hour limit and to advise them of the new law as necessary.

He added that State Police patrols will also continue checking motorists for proper driver and vehicle credentials and following other routine policing procedures of his department where and when violations of existing traffic law occur.

Emphasizing that he is speaking for his own department, Plants cautioned motorists that they can be ticketed right now by other police jurisdictions for speeding violations in excess of the new 55-mile limit. The new limit is law and is enforceable now, he stressed.

Other than not enforcing the 55-mile an hour limit until March 16, Plants said the State Police traffic enforcement policies would be carried out by his patrols as they have been prior to the new limit.

This would include State Police ticketing for speeds in excess of 70 miles an hour on freeways and for speed excesses where other limits are posted and for other traffic law violations.

Boating Safety Classes To Start

The Crawford County Sheriff Department will begin Pleasure Boating Safety classes on March 18th. The Sheriff's Dept. Marine Division reports that for any youngster from age 12 thru 15 years old who wants to operate a motorized vessel of 6 horse power or more without adult supervision, he or she must have a valid Safety Certificate in their possession.

To receive the certificate a youngster must successfully complete the Boating Safety Course. The class will be presented free of charge by Department of Natural Resources certified instructors. Class enrollment will be limited so - register early.

If you miss this class, however, there will be more offered before the summer season starts. To register, call the Marine Division at 348-6341. Class will start at 3:45 p.m. on March 18th and run the 19th, 20th, 21st, and 22nd. The daily classes will last until 5:00 p.m. each day.

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School Notes

The Grayling Middle School will be transporting 8th grade students to the New High School this week for orientation in 9th grade next year.

Each day, Monday through Thursday of this week, 45 students will be transported by bus from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. and will be accompanied by Mr. Wiley Morris the Middle School Counselor.

We third graders in Miss Kraus's class have been working on puppet plays for the past few weeks.

Our next project will be constructing and painting birds to decorate our room for spring when it comes.

Dawn LaMotte
3rd Grade

Lovells News

By Ruth Caid

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kinsman were called to Flint Saturday due to the death of his father, Barney Kinsman. Their many friends extend their sympathy to the family.

Mrs. Lola Penny is a patient at Mercy Hospital. Her friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hartman of Freeland, Verne Hartman and his friend Julie Gillis of Midland spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hartman.

Mrs. Lottie Kurchenko passed away in Florida on Thursday, March 7. Mrs. Kurchenko has been a summer resident of our community for about thirty years. She was always very interested in all community affairs and has many friends who extend their deepest sympathy to her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and daughter Lynn are enjoying a vacation at their cabin on the North Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Maikie of Detroit spent the weekend with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Maki.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Cook spent a few days in Detroit on business and visiting friends.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet with Mrs. Jane Commons on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Armstrong joined the group that enjoyed the weekend in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calkins and family of Detroit spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Kearney were hosts at the party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Sophie Koerke, Ruth Caid, Clarice Nusbbaum and Ray Duby. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duby will have the party this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Warner enjoyed having their children from Bay City and Detroit with them over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dud Bollman and family are enjoying a trip in the West.

John Mau of Taylor is spending a week at his trailer.

Powerful Claw

An Alaska king crab's great claw can crunch halfway through a broomstick or break a finger.

Jack Pine's Stump



Few things can be more miserable than spending a beautiful weekend such as we just had figuring out Federal, State and City income taxes. Frustration mounts, fury grows and curiosity is aroused as to what sort of minds conceive these terrible forms. It is apparent, as one goes through all the directions, that there is just no way to escape jail. Those directions, while supposed to be helpful, all seem to be warnings of the fate which awaits the unwary, the stupid and the clumsy - and that takes me in all categories. Anyway, it's all "done". And I think I am too.

JP

When this paper comes out my son will be at Winter Park, Colorado, skiing his legs off and visiting a whole herd of brothers, one sister, a mother and other assorted relatives who seem to have gathered out there. Winter Park is probably my very favorite ski area in the whole USA. It is ably managed by the City of Denver, which proves that communities can run their own ski operations. I still feel that Grayling, either as a City, or from a local board, could run Bear Mountain. It was well done in earlier years and could be done again. Maybe it's all wishful thinking on my part, but dreams sometimes come true. Maybe this one will.

JP

Son doesn't know it yet, but just as soon as he leaves, Old

ABWA News

The American Business Women's Association is holding its Spring Enrollment Tea on March 14th, at 7:30 p.m., at the Hotel Shoppenagon in the Viking Room. The purpose of this tea is to promote new members into our organization. ABWA is a national organization with an active membership of over 74,000 in all fifty states. The purpose of ABWA is to better women in business, through scholarships for education and in learning how to improve oneself as a woman. The Grayling Chapter holds a meeting once a month on the third Tuesday at different restaurants. We have dinner, a guest speaker and a business meeting.

Any ladies that are working and would like to join ABWA, please contact any member and let her know that you are interested. The theme of our tea will be St. Patrick's day and there will be a short skit by members called "Tell it like it is." All members will be bringing their best desserts to be served with coffee.

I know there are a lot of ladies who would like to be part of our organization. Please come to the tea, meet us, laugh with us, see how we work together.

Call Tanya Pelt 348-9786, Sally Wert 348-4971, Joyce Bourrie 348-5871, Elaine Harland 348-9281 or Jeanette Kitchen 348-7135.

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Tanya Pelt,
Publicity

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Forecast Period: March 17 To March 23

ARIES

Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

Try the good feeling of avoiding pain and anxiety. Stop listening to rumors and half-truths. Most important, don't take a member of the other sex seriously.

TAURUS

Apr. 20 - May 20

This week, according to your chart, paperwork seems to be a Lion in your path. Check and double check documents for an error that's destined to become costly.

GEMINI

May 21 - June 20

In one form or another, you'll resort to a training learned in the past. In other words, you'll be called upon to use your latent talent, unexpectedly.

MOONCHILD

June 21 - July 22

Stellar patterns suggest that you widen your circle of friends. Also, there's an indication that a religious person will influence you.

LEO

July 23 - Aug. 22

Apparently, many members of your sign will be spending money on too many "little items." Review your receipts, you'll see what stellar patterns mean!

VIRGO

Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

For most members of your sign, a short journey, will determine this week's success or failure. Also, a bad case of moodiness is on the wing.

LIBRA

Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

Once again, it's not a favorable period to invest or expand. Apparently, outside pressures will demand impulsive decisions. Try playing both ends toward the middle.

SCORPIO

Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

Emotionally, many members of your sign have become a tinderbox. Guard against being pushed into a mental explosion. Also, keep your motives under wraps.

SAGITTARIUS

Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

A long range goal should be within reach, now. You might be reopening a project that has been long shelved. Incidentally, an unexpected event will increase your popularity.

CAPRICORN

Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

You might be thinking in terms of what happened to you, during this week; several years ago. For many under your sign - the past will be reviewed.

AQUARIUS

Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

It's not a good time to disclose a new project, or your opinion for that matter. Associates and co-workers, you'll discover, won't be cooperative.

PISCES

Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

Remember, it's patience that makes the big difference between the spider and the fly. Meaning? Wait out the opposite sex.

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\$20,000.00	\$116.67	\$112.50	\$108.33	\$87.50
\$30,000.00	\$175.00	\$168.25	\$162.50	\$131.25
\$40,000.00	\$233.33	\$225.00	\$216.67	\$175.00
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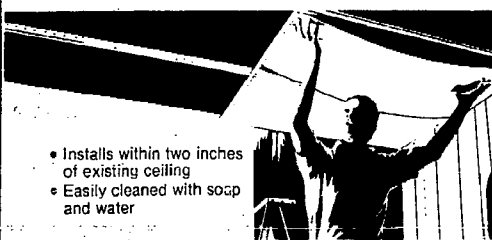
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Women Of The Moose

The Grayling Chapter 827 hosted the Annual Chapter Rally Day on March 9, 1974. It was held in the dining room at the American Legion.

Eleven chapters were represented with 93 registered. The chapters who took part, did a real good job. They looked so pretty in their gowns of all different colors.

This is the first time we have done this. I think our girls who turned out need a pat on the back for a job well done. Not only for the floor work but the buffet dinner as well. Our dinner was ham, turkey, scalloped potatoes with all the trimmings.

We enrolled two new members, they were: Dolores Schoen, sponsor was Lillian King, Lois Kaminski, sponsor was Evelyn DeRousha. Our Sr. Regent, Luri Mayo, who was conference leader and kitchen chairman and Lillian King wish to thank all the girls who worked and donated their time, and good things to eat.

Next meeting on March 18th at 8:00 p.m. sharp.

Jean Ann Gardiner,
Publicity Chrm.

PROMOTED

Cadet 1SG Douglas R. Harris, son of Mrs. Clifford Peterson of Grayling, has been promoted to the rank of Cadet Second Lieutenant and has the new duty assignment of Platoon Leader in Company "B" at Kemper Military School and College, Boonville, Missouri.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of my dear Son Verner Rasmussen who passed away March 12th, 2 years ago, sadly missed by his mother Else Andersen, wife Mary and 7 daughters.

Vandecar-Nelson Vows Spoken



Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church was the scene of the wedding of Cheryl Dee Vandecar and Mark Richard Nelson on Saturday, February 16, at seven o'clock in the evening.

Rev. Paul Frederick officiated before some 150 guests for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vandecar of 624 W. Burnside, Caro, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Kitchen, 806 Smith St., Grayling. Doug Slater presented the musical selections "Time in a Bottle"

and "The Wedding March."

Decorations consisted of candles and pink and white carnations.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, approached the altar in a floor length gown of ivory silk fashioned with an inserted Belgian lace V-neck, standup collar and Bishop sleeves. From her silhouette waistline accented with covered buttons, fell an A-line skirt which swept into a court train. A cathedral length veil completed her attire and she carried a bouquet of pink and white roses accented with baby's breath and blue star flowers.

Kathleen Getty of Caro was the maid of honor. She wore a floor length gown of burgandy velvet, fashioned with a Swiss style bodice and Bishop sleeves. A gathered skirt fell from her natural waistline and she carried a muf mounted with pink and white carnations and roses and wore sweetheart roses in her hair.

Mark Hartman of Freeland served as best man.

A reception immediately followed the ceremony at the American Legion Club with a buffet luncheon served to the guests.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Vandecar wore a full length gown of aqua knit fashioned with a standup collar and full length sleeves. Mrs. Kitchen chose a floor length gown of yellow knit with a V-neck and long sleeves for the marriage of her son.

Out of town guests attended from Saginaw, Caro, Freeland, Reese, Bay City and Akron.

The bride is a graduate of Caro High School while the groom is a graduate of Grayling High School. He also attended Kirtland Community College and Central Michigan University and is presently employed at St. Mary's Hospital in Saginaw.

The newlyweds are making their home at 1221 W. Genessee Ave., Saginaw.

Volunteer Aid Program

'Help Me Read'

March 7th marked the second meeting of the Crawford Au-Sable Elementary School's Advisory Council.

The first meeting dealt primarily with the purpose of the Advisory Council. Melvin Nunn and John Skoglund, principals of the Grayling and Frederic Elementary Schools, explained why they were in favor of an Advisory Council, and why they felt this council was needed. They are looking for some guide-lines in determining what the communities feel should be a part of the educational process. Giving the citizens an opportunity to voice their concerns pertaining to elementary education is the only way this can be attained. Mr. Nunn and Mr. Skoglund are both receptive to suggestions and are striving to make elementary education less stereo-typed. 'Humanizing Education' is their goal.

Several topics were discussed during the first meeting. The Ginn Level Reading Program in use at the Elementary Schools was discussed along with the possibility (pros & cons) of introducing career education at the elementary school level. More information was wanted by those in attendance on the reading program and on what specific materials were available and could be used on the topic of career education at the elementary school level. It was decided that these two areas would be discussed in detail at the March meeting.

Last Thursday, the council met for the second time.

Several displays including posters, pamphlets, Library books, films and records, concerning career education (elementary level) were explained by Mr. Nunn and Mr. Skoglund. A film showing the many ways communities depend on trucking to supply needs was presented as an example of how career education could be incorporated into the elementary school classroom.

Approximately 16 persons have been attending the Advisory Council meetings and the resulting discussions have been both informative and interesting. It has been disappointing that no one from the Frederic Elementary School area has attended. Both principals feel that since this Advisory Council encompasses both elementary schools it would be a definite value to have questions and comments from those concerned parents who have children in The Frederic elementary School.

Through these meetings of the Advisory Council much information concerning the elementary schools has been exchanged, many points and positions have been clarified and many plausible future programs concerning elementary school students have been discussed.

Because of the length of discussion on elementary school career education and related topics it was decided to review the Ginn Level Reading Program at our April 4th meeting.

Frederic News

[by Arlein Kesby]

Frederic Girls Hobby Club will be meeting every Saturday afternoon between one and three in the Sportsman's Club. Any Frederic girl between the age of 11 and 18 interested will be welcome. The adult advisor for the group is Carla Roskoskey, Phone 248-8214.

Vote on the primary election for the Homecoming Royal Family. Ballots at the Frederic Merchants. One voting ballot with each purchase of .25 cents or more.

Glen's Grocery tapes are still in need to help our Library.

Anyone wanting to donate furniture for the auction may contact Mrs. Ken Newberry or Mrs. Jack Kesby. Saturday, April 6, there will be an auction and Flea Market Sale. Watch for more details in next week's paper.

Bottle and antique show sale at the Frederic School Gym. August 10 and 11. For more information, you may contact Conrad Owens, Box 25, Frederic.

On March 5th the Frederic Homecoming Association meeting was held at the Sportsman's Club, where plans are being

made for the homecoming. Anyone having old pictures or newspapers of Frederic, contact Al Leng. Next meeting will be held March 21 at 8:00 p.m. at the Sportsman's Club. Public is invited.

Anyone knowing the whereabouts of the ladders taken from the Fire Truck, please return them to Al Leng or the Fire Hall.

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank friends, neighbors, the American Legion and Auxiliary, Glen's Market and Holiday Inn for their expressions of sympathy in the loss of our husband and father.

Anthony Ferrigan family

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the committee of the Credit Union in charge of the banquet February 23, for which I was hired as organizer for the evening.

June Feldhauser

TO THE RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP:

PLEASE BE NOTIFIED that there will be a public hearing at the City Hall, 103 James Street, Grayling, Michigan, at 7:30 p.m., April 2, 1974, of the Township Planning Commission on rezoning in Grayling Township, Crawford County, Michigan.

The following change of zoning will be considered:

CASE NO. 74-3—Calvin H. Gates, applicant has requested rezoning of property located at: SE corner of the AuSable River (Main Stream) and Stephan Bridge Road, described as: Comm. at a pt. 33' E & 90' N of center of Sec. 5, th. E & par. with E & W 1/4 line 528', th. N on a line par. with N & S 1/4 line to center of AuSable Rv. th. Wly up stream to a pt. 33' E of N & S 1/4 line, th. S on a line par. with N & S 1/4 line to POB. 6.2 A. Part of SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 5, T 26 N, R 2 W.

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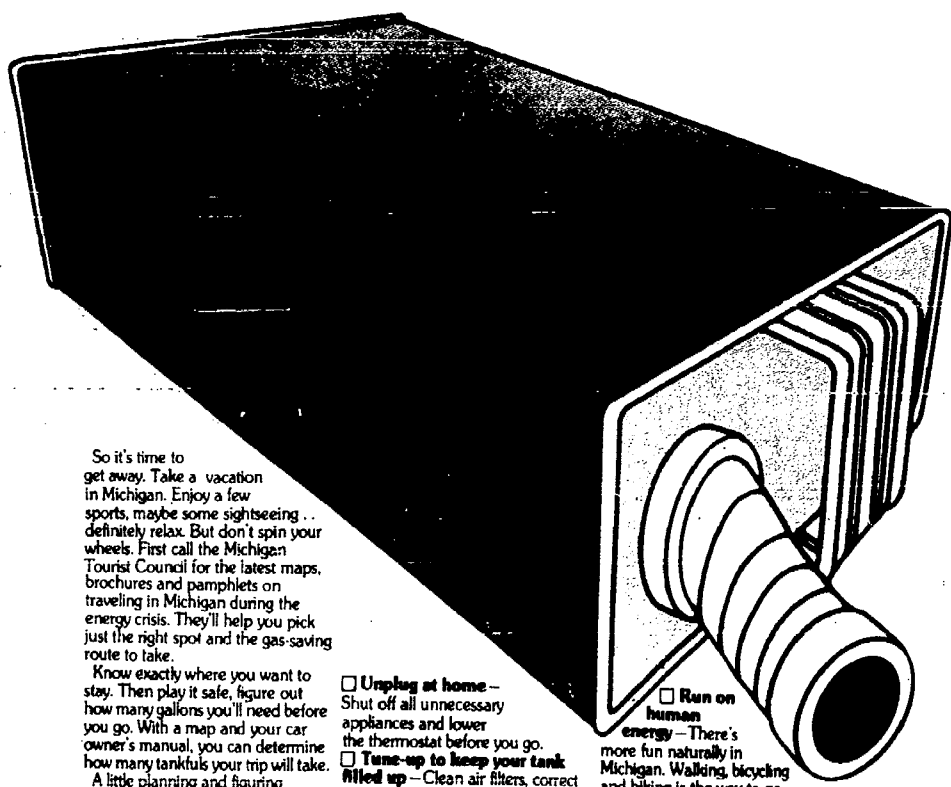
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District Court

The following persons appeared before Judge Francis Walsh, 83rd district Court and pleaded guilty or were found guilty by a trial:

Carl F. Brantley, 19, Camp Lehman, was charged with the possession of marijuana and was remanded to Camp Lehman for disposition.

Rodney Michael Duncley, 21, Frederic, was charged with impaired driving and was fined \$124.00.

John Edward Walters, 21, Grayling, was charged with D.U.I.L. and was fined \$144.00.

David William Persing, 17, Kalkaska, was charged as being drunk and disorderly and was fined \$64.00 or 7 days in jail.

Eugene Thomas Barber, 25, Frederic, was charged with driving while license suspended and was sentenced to 3 days in jail and fined \$84.00 or 10 additional days in jail.

Michael John Hanson, 23, Flint, was charged with impaired driving and was fined \$124.00 or 14 days in jail.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE

City of Grayling Board of Review

Will meet in the

COUNCIL CHAMBER CITY HALL

on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13

THURSDAY, MARCH 14

AT 7:30 p.m.

Larry Hunter
Equalization Director

BOWLING LEAGUES

Northwood League

1. Joy Lynn Ceramics . . . 23
2. Bear Archery . . . 20
3. Don's Pipe Shop . . . 19
4. Greene's Party Store . . . 18
5. Holiday Inn . . . 14
6. Bob's Car Wash . . . 13
7. Laurine's . . . 12
8. Safari Lounge . . . 9
- High Series: J. Campbell; 534, E. Helsel; 502, Betty Helsel; 501.
- High Game: J. Campbell; 223, Betty Helsel; 210, E. Helsel; 194.

Recreation League

1. Culligan Soft Water 26
2. Dingmaus Tavern . . . 24 1/2
3. Lovells Bar . . . 24
4. Grayling Bank . . . 22
- Bay City Times . . . 21
6. Recreational . . . 20
7. AuSable Hotel . . . 19
8. Wag-On-Inn . . . 18 1/2
9. Ski Whiz Snowbls. . . 18
10. R & H Sports . . . 17
11. Olson's . . . 15
12. Bills Laundry . . . 14
13. Kozy Korner . . . 14
14. Glen's Market . . . 14
15. Legion Lounge . . . 13
16. Rochettes . . . 9
- High Series: M. LaMotte; 546, S. Korhonen; 506, B. Donnelly; 489.
- High Game: M. Coe; 207, B. Donnelly; 202, M. Harwood; 201.

Sunday Afternoon Fun League

1. Luckey 4 . . . 20 1/2
2. Hits & Misses . . . 20
3. Blue Lake 4 . . . 16
4. Down River Rats . . . 15
5. 4 Dudes . . . 11 1/2
6. Gutter Greats . . . 11
7. Pink Panthers . . . 10
8. Playmates . . . 8
- High Series Men: J. Helsel; 529, C. Fye; 491, K. Helsel; 487.
- High Game Men: C. Fye; 203, J. Helsel; 195, J. DiGiouanni; 188.
- High Series Women: M. Lavrack; 472, E. Helsel; 469, S. Muth; 412.
- High Game Women: M. Lavrack; 182, E. Helsel; 172, S. Muth; 162.

Pioneer League

1. Al's Gals . . . 23 1/2
2. Vaughn's Sunoco . . . 20
3. Millikin Construction . . . 17
4. Avalanche . . . 17
5. Daysons . . . 17
6. Cornells . . . 13
7. Sorenson . . . 12 1/2
8. Small's Electric . . . 8
- High Series: Dee Russell; 539, Marilyn Hanson; 525, Joan Rasmussen; 521.
- High Game: Dee Russell; 236, Marilyn Hanson; 193, Loretta Tobin; 193.

National - 1st Division

1. Gambles . . . 20
2. Bear Archery . . . 13
3. Tarpon . . . 13
4. Spur Gas . . . 12
5. Airport Auto . . . 10
6. Parson's Adv. . . 4
- High Series: W. Reinhardt; 581, W. Rose; 562, L. Baker; 556.
- High Games: W. Rose; 222, L. Baker; 204, W. Reinhardt; 202.

Sunday Mixed Doubles

1. Miller Tires . . . 25
2. Farm Bureau . . . 25
3. Beaver Bend Lodge . . . 24
4. Decker's Fixit Shop . . . 20
5. Luzerne Hardware . . . 19
6. R & H Trophies . . . 17 1/2
7. Big Wheel . . . 16
8. General Telephone . . . 13 1/2
- High Series Men: J. Pratt; 514, K. Moore; 502, F. Golnick; 494.
- High Game Men: J. Pratt; 203, K. Helsel; 198, R. Reichelderfer; 196.
- High Series Women: L. Tobin; 546, B. Ingalls; 484, J. Trenary; 444.
- High Game Women: L. Tobin; 197-192, G. O'Connor; 178, B. Ingalls; 177.

American League-1st Division

1. Bear Archery . . . 24 1/2
2. Clair's Standard . . . 17 1/2
3. Spike's Keg O'Nails . . . 17
4. Legion Lanes . . . 16
5. Uncle Al . . . 16
6. Fick's Standard . . . 15
7. Rochettes . . . 14
8. Millikin's . . . 8
- High Series: R. Johnson; 630, D. Canfield; 591, H. King; 542.
- High Game: D. Canfield; 222, R. Johnson; 200-215-215.

Senior Citizens

1. Mac's Drugs . . . 16
2. Gambles . . . 14
3. 1st Savings . . . 13
4. Glen's Market . . . 12
5. R & H Sports . . . 11
6. Kellogg's Corner . . . 7
- High Series Men: E. Schram; 506, C. J. Cooper; 474, N. Hohner; 473.
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- High Series Women: M. Cook; 476, I. Hendee; 468, I. Williams; 461.
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Airman Wade GEE COMPLETES TRAINING

Biloxi, Miss.—Airman Wade B. Gee, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Farley, reside at 6195 Cedar Road, Grayling, has graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the Air Training Command's basic course for electronic specialists.

The airman, who received instruction in communications and electronics systems principles, is remaining at Keesler for advanced training.

Airman Gee is a 1973 graduate of Grayling High School.

Artist Showcase

You are invited to attend the Artist's Showcase on Thursday, March 21, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Chalet Inn in Gaylord. There will be art pieces for sale as well as a bazaar table of hand-made items, also demonstrations of 15 art forms. There is a 25 cents registration fee.



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Computers Do Need Help

An incorrect order to a computer has resulted in many unhappy and irritated Christmas Seal supporters, and has caused embarrassment to the Michigan Lung Association, said Andrew W. Kovacs, executive director of the Association headquartered in Lansing.

The result of the error was that several thousand people who made a contribution before Christmas received a reminder saying there was no record of the contribution.

The Association relies on a computer to do jobs that would take an army of paid staff or volunteers to do otherwise. Kovacs said the computer does exactly what it is told to do—no more, no less. Because of incorrect instructions several thousand contributors received a letter that should not have been sent.

It is just as embarrass-

ing—and costly—to us as it is irritating to our supporters," said Kovacs. "We ask our contributors to forgive us."

While apologizing to the many contributors we unintentionally offended," Kovacs said, "we would like to invite those who have overlooked their gift to send their contribution to CHRISTMAS SEALS, 403 Seymour Avenue, Lansing, Michigan 48914."

Christmas Seal contributions are the major source of income for the Michigan Lung Association which uses the funds to conduct programs dealing with the control and research of tuberculosis, emphysema, bronchitis and other lung diseases. In addition, the Association also has smoking education programs for schools and adults, including the rights of non-smokers, and is active in the fight for clean air.

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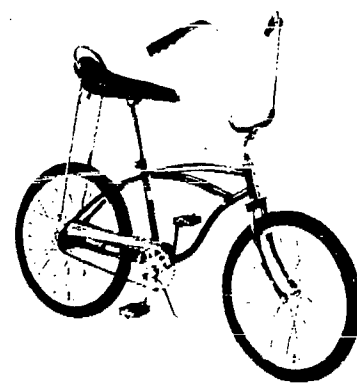
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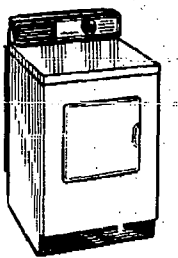
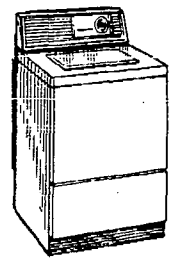
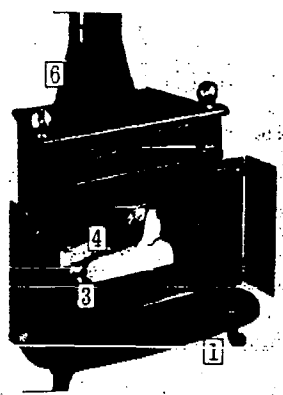
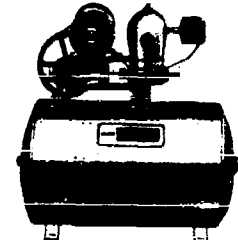
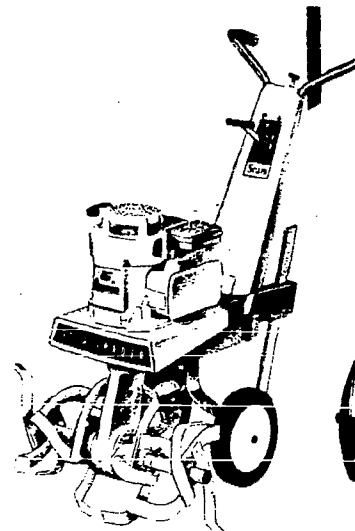
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NLM Committee Chairmen—include, Back Row—left to right: Gene Rauch, Lyle Vore, Neil Byce, Rev. Paul Frederick; Front row, left to right, Shirley Rauch, Joyce Vore, Joann Olsen and Carol Money.

Neil Byce, Task Force Coordinator of the upcoming New Life Mission to be held in April at the Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church here has named Committee Chairmen to aid in this unique event. It is reportedly only the 5th New Life Mission to be held in the State of Michigan in the 25 year history of the program.

Byce was named Task Force Coordinator of the Mission last week by the Reverend Paul C. Frederick, Pastor of the Church. In making the committee chairman announcements Byce said "The purpose of the New Life Mission is to give each man, woman and child in the community an opportunity to re-examine their life, the goals they have set for themselves and whether or not they are happy in their life as it is or rather wish that they could change it in some way. Although this type of meeting is usually held only in one given church in an area everyone in the community is invited to attend, regardless of their church affiliation. We are pleased that the following Committee Chairmen have agreed to undertake this act of love for the benefit of their neighbors in Grayling and the surrounding area."

Arrangements Committee: Gene and Shirley Rauch will head this group assisted by Ruth Fenton (Reception), Garlene Horning (Nursery) and Reverend Frederick (Special Events).

Attendance Committee Chairman: Dennis Freeman, Music Committee Chairman: Lyle Vore; Finance Committee, Ron Larson; Penetration Co-Chairman: Ann Morford; Morning Bible Study Chairman: Joann Olsen; Youth Forum, Cal Knowles and Peggy Patrick; Publicity Committee: Dick Lattimer, assisted by Donna and Dennis Patton.

Byce also announced that Study Groups are being formed now and will begin their re-examination of the messages to be found in the Bible on March 11. Those in the community wishing to participate may contact: Joann Olsen, Box 91, Grayling, phone 348-9843.

In commenting upon the above appointments, Reverend Frederick stated, "Now more than ever, our faith must take on new meaning in our daily lives. The rush of events, the weekly crises around the world, and strain of personal and family living, all dictate the need to find peace of mind and a commitment to love God and our brothers. As Christians, we have an additional responsibility of sharing the Good News that in Jesus Christ, God Himself became man, lived, died, and rose again so that each one of us could have New Life. Many of the great world religions teach love for God and neighbor, but none have demonstrated the depths to which God's love would go as did the Carpenter of Nazareth. The purpose of the New Life Mission is to offer to each man, woman and child the opportunity to discover God's love and purpose for each individual life, and to offer to everyone the free gift of eternal life now. We are pleased that so many Grayling people of different Christian faiths have already volunteered to help us plan this event."

Mercy Hospital

The following are among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week: Beatrice Brown, James Danenberg, Midori Gabler, Thomas Graham, Holger Hanson, William Jigos, Norman Johnson, David Keyser, Daisy Lewis, Delaine McKeithen, Betty Madsen, Kary Moshier, Minnie Niles, Lola Penny, Jess Sales, Eunice Schreiber, Ginger Stamply, John Wejrowski, Jane Welsh, Jonas Wirtanen, Mildred Woten, Russell Wright and Leah Yoder, all of Grayling; Fay Barrows, Edith Breckow, Mary Lynn Charron, Ellen Davis and William Maxwell, all of Frederic.

Born on March 5 to Mr. and Mrs. David Bills of Grayling, a son, Brian Bennett, weighing 7 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beckett of Grayling are the parents of a son, Chad Raymond, born March 7, and weighing 7 lbs. 15 1/2 ozs.

A baby girl, Christy Dorina, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris Holiday of Grayling on March 8. She weighed in at 6 lbs. 11 1/4 ozs.

Pet Chatter

by Teri Andrews

Now that you have had your new puppy for some time and have gained his confidence, it's time to give some thought to training.

Animals are creatures of habit. The trick for you, the owner, is to teach your pet good habits. "Good" habits for a pet consist of conforming to the ways of the human household in which he lives. Proper training involves a great deal of hard work, time and patience.

The three worst trainer faults are: inconsistency—changing your mind before your pet has a chance to carry out a command, or allowing an animal to do something once, and then telling him not to do it.

Leniency—allowing an animal to get away with improper behavior, or not following through once a command is given.

Impatience—resorting to beating and yelling, and this is the worst of all! After you've come to terms with your own limitations, you should make an effort to recognize the limitations and merits of the animal. On the positive side, your dog wants to please you. He wants and needs praise and love. Dogs have extremely long memories and are very intelligent animals.



Grayling Elementary School—collected 8700 Campbell Soup Labels. Miss Johnson's 4th grade collected over 700 labels to lead the building. Pictured above are some of the children from Miss Johnson's room presenting the Slide-Projector to Mrs. Marie Akers who headed the drive. We want to thank all those who helped us receive the projector for the school.

Editor's Mailbox

Crawford County Opossum Hunter's Association
c/o Mr. Whitey Madsen, Edr.
Crawford County Avalanche
Grayling, Michigan 49738
March 4, 1974

Dear Whitey:

The Northern Michigan Branch Chapter of the Multiple Sclerosis Society would like to use the Avalanche as a means of publically thanking the founders and members of the Crawford County Opossum Hunter's Association for their generous contribution of \$225.50 to the local Multiple Sclerosis Society.

This money will be used locally to purchase prescribed orthopedic equipment for victims of MS. While the local branch chapters are interested in direct contact with MS patients the National Organization is currently carrying out an extensive research program into finding the cause and cure of this crippling of young adults. Anyone wanting more information on the local or National MS Society may obtain it by calling 348-7572 after 6 p.m.

On behalf of all MS patients and their families thank you once again to the Crawford County Opossum Hunter's Association.

Sincerely,
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Kelly
Richard Lattimer
Mrs. John Lawrence
Mrs. Terry Wakeley
Miss Pat Wiseman
Board of Directors, Northern Michigan Branch Chapter, Multiple Sclerosis Society

Dear Editor,

I attend Eastern Michigan University, hoping to teach elementary school when finished.

I would now like to take the time to place credit where credit is due. Just recently in the past year, Superintendent Joseph Stripe of Crawford AuSable Schools retired. As a student I saw Mr. Stripe as a man of high authority which he was. Students did not see a lot of Mr. Stripe, he was very busy with many school matters. But when you did see him you knew his place was in school and his smile and attitude showed it.

The people of Crawford County owe a great deal of credit to Mr. Stripe for all the hours spent planning and working to make the new High School possible.

Before the bond issue and millage were passed, Mr. Stripe talked at many meetings and met with many groups encouraging the need of a new high school. I know Mr. Stripe fought hard to get the new school and convincing the people of the real need for one.

Now that the school is finished I regret that I couldn't have been a part of it. We should be proud of a man who helped our community, and certainly deserves the honor of the Joseph Stripe Auditorium.

Sincerely,
Cindy (Harwood) Paquette.

3 Receive CMU Degrees

Three students from this area were among some 818 students awarded degrees at Central Michigan University at mid-year.

In all, 640 CMU students received bachelor's degrees while 167 earned master's degrees and 11 were awarded specialist degrees at mid-year.

The following graduates are from Crawford County: Sheridan L. Drake, received her B. S. degree in Education.

David Michael Jansen received his B. S. in Business Administration, and his wife Elaine Kay received her B. S. in Education.

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Card of Thanks

I would like to express my thanks to all those who made it possible for me to go all the way to the State Wrestling final, Grayling High School, Coach Don Ferguson, Dave Ferguson and the boys who accompanied me there and also my (manager) Eddie Baynham.

Carl Partello Jr.

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that Grayling Moose Lodge 1162 located at 305 Peninsular, Grayling, Michigan, has applied to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission for renewal of its club license and that it is the intent of the Liquor Control Commission to grant said license upon expiration of the present license.

Dated: March 11, 1974

Card of Thanks

We would like to thank the doctors and nurses of the Extended Care Facility for the care and kindnesses shown our mother; friends and neighbors for the many visits, cards, gifts and prayers.

The family of Edna McEvers

To the Editor:

On reading your letter in the Editor's Mail Box this week, I feel I must write something in reply to K-Lon Motel.

I feel very strongly that this plumber should be exposed for what he is, so no one else gets caught up in the same trap. After all he could at least had the courtesy of coming to your aide in such an emergency, and when you most desperately need him. And since he had such a negative response to his duties to an old customer such as you he should be exposed to the public of Crawford County. We need more people we can depend on instead of those that think only of their sleep. Moral obligation should begin somewhere. I would say this is a good time.

Sincerely,
Ruby Erdelyi,
Route 3, Grayling.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
Probate Court for the County of Crawford.
Estate of Edna Lemler, Deceased.

It is ordered that on April 17, 1974, at 10:00 a.m., in the Probate Courtroom Grayling, Michigan a hearing be held on the petition of John B. Huss for probate of a foreign purported will of Edna Lemler, deceased, and for granting of ancillary administration with will annexed to John B. Huss or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.

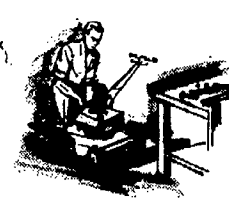
Dated: March 8, 1974
/s/ Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

John B. Huss
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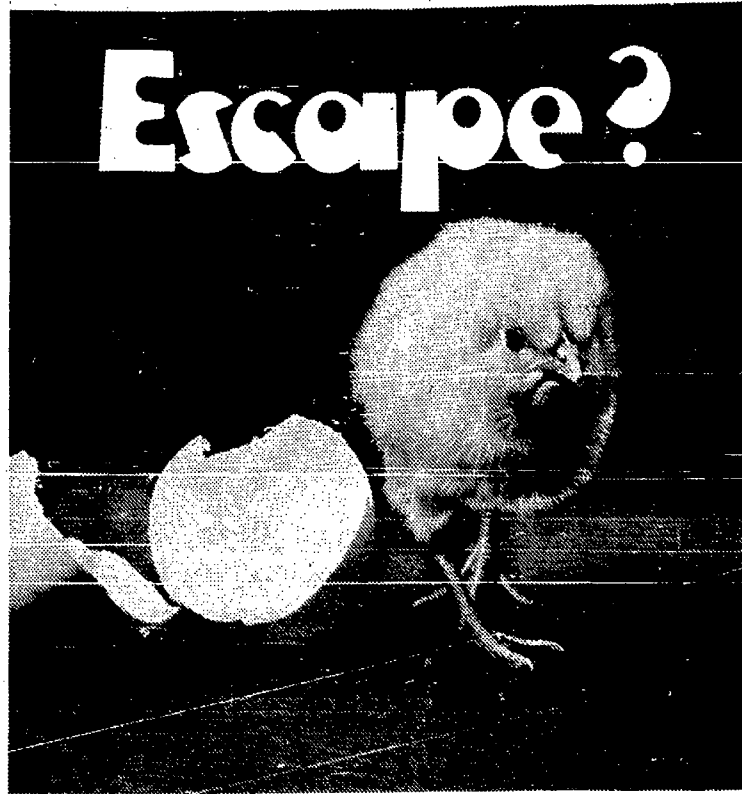
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The list—and the responsibilities of mature life—seems endless. No wonder we long to escape—to "get away from it all."

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Service Meeting.

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court For The County Of Crawford.

In the Matter of
Michigan Consolidated Gas Company,
a Michigan corporation,
Petitioner,
-vs-
Dwight O. Thomas, Ruth M. Thomas,
Karl J. Aven, Pauline Aven, and
Estelle Sharp Warrick,
Respondents.

No. 3445
Order For Hearing And
Publication

Order For Hearing And Publication
At a session of said Court held in the Probate Office in the City
of Grayling, in said County, on the 8th day of March, 1974.
Present: Honorable Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

Michigan Consolidated Gas Company having filed in this Court
its petition praying for the condemnation of easements and
rights-of-way for the construction of one natural gas pipeline
over, through and across the lands more particularly described in
Schedule 'A' attached hereto, for the transportation of natural
gas for public use, in accordance with the provisions of Sections
22.1671 - 22.1674, Michigan Statutes Annotated, and it
appearing from said petition that no person or persons own, or
have an interest appearing of record in, or are in possession of,
the properties sought to be condemned, other than the persons
named in said Schedule 'A'.

SCHEDULE 'A'

Tract 1: An easement 50 feet in width measured 20 feet
Northerly of and at right angles to, and 30 feet South-
erly of and at right angles to, the following described
line across part of the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of
Section 19, Town 28 North, Range 4 West, Frederick
Township, Crawford County, Michigan:

Beginning at a point on the West 1/8 line of Section
19, Town 28 North, Range 4 West, Frederick Township,
Crawford County, Michigan, distant South 948 feet
from the East-West 1/4 line of said Section 19, thence
proceed North 79° 30' East 1319 feet to the point of
ending on the North-South 1/4 line of said Section 19,
distant South 712 feet from said East-West 1/4 line of
Section 19.

Dwight O. Thomas and Ruth M. Thomas, his wife, record
owners of an undivided three-fifths (3/5) interest.
Karl J. Aven and Pauline Aven, his wife, record owners of an
undivided two-fifths (2/5) interest.

Tract 2: An easement 50 feet in width measured 20 feet
Northwesterly of and at right angles to, and 30 feet
Southeasterly of and at right angles to, the following
described line across part of the West 1/2 of the South-
west 1/4 of Section 13, Town 28 North, Range 4 West,
Frederick Township, Crawford County, Michigan:

Beginning at a point on the West line of Section 13,
Town 28 North, Range 4 West, Frederick Township,
Crawford County, Michigan, distant North 1183 feet
from the Southwest corner of said Section 13, thence
proceed North 70° 00' East 1430 feet to the point of
ending on the West 1/8 line of said Section 13, distant
North 1700 feet from the South line of said Section 13.

Estelle Sharp Warrick, record owner.

Therefore, It Is Ordered, that a hearing on said petition
shall be held on the 25th day of March, 1974, at 10:00 a.m., in the
courtroom of the Probate Court of Crawford County, Michigan,
in the County Courthouse, Grayling, Michigan; at which time the
persons named in said Schedule 'A' shall appear and answer said
petition and show cause, if any they have, against the granting of
the relief prayed for therein.

It Is Further Ordered that Michigan Consolidated Gas
Company, the petitioner herein, its representatives, agents and
employees, may enter, without interference by the respondents,
at any time prior to the hearing on said petition, or thereafter
until this matter is finally disposed of, upon any or all of the
tracts of land described in said Schedule 'A' for the purpose of
surveying and locating more accurately the easements and
rights-of-way, premises and interests sought to be acquired, in
accordance with the provisions of Section 22.1672(8), Michigan
Statutes Annotated.

It Is Further Ordered that petitioner cause this Order to be
published in the Crawford County Avalanche, a newspaper
published and circulated in said County, at least once each week
for two (2) successive weeks immediately preceding the 25th day
of March, 1974; and that petitioner mail a copy of this Order to
each of the respondents at their last known post office address by
Registered Mail with return receipt demanded, or personally
serve a copy of this Order upon each of said respondents at least
ten (10) days previous to said 25th day of March, 1974.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus
Judge of Probate

A TRUE COPY
Betty J. Palmer, Registrar

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— LEGAL NOTICES —

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the

County of Crawford.

Estate of Gertrude E. Peter-

son, deceased.

It is Ordered that on March

22, 1974, at 10:00 a.m., in the

Probate Courtroom Grayling,

Michigan a hearing be held at

which time all creditors of

decedent are required to prove

their claims. Creditors must file

sworn statements of their claims

with the Court and serve a copy

on Harvey J. Rowland, Admin-

istrator of the estate, Rt. 1, box

129, Grayling, Michigan 49738,

prior to or at the time of such

hearing. The heirs of said

deceased will be determined at

said hearing.

Publication and service shall

be made as provided by Statute

and Court Rule.

/s/ Emil L. Kraus

Judge of Probate.

Nelson A. Miles

Attorney for Administrator

P.O. Box 303

Grayling, Michigan. 28-7-14

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the

County of Crawford.

Estate of Thorvald P. Peterson,

deceased.

It is Ordered that on March

22, 1974, at 10:00 a.m., in the

Probate Courtroom Grayling,

Michigan a hearing be held at

which time all creditors of

decedent are required to prove

their claims. Creditors must file

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/s/ Emil L. Kraus

Judge of Probate.

Nelson A. Miles

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Legal Notice

NOTICE OF
MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in
the terms and conditions of a
certain Mortgage made by
James L. Meyer and Elga
Meyer, his wife, 600 Mower
Street, Pinckney, Michigan,
Mortgagors, to Chandra Rec-
reational Properties, Inc., a
corporation organized and exist-
ing under the laws of Michigan,
Mortgagee, dated the 21st day
of August, 1971, and recorded
in the Office of the Register of
Deeds for Crawford County,
Michigan on the 23rd day of
November, 1971 in Liber 114 of
Mortgages, Page 203, which
Mortgage was subsequently
assigned by said Mortgagee to
Valley National Bank, a nation-
al banking association, by As-
signment of Mortgage dated
November 5, 1971, and record-
ed November 23rd, 1971 in
Liber 114 of Mortgages, Page
204, in the Office of the
Register of Deeds for Crawford
County, Michigan, upon which
Mortgage is claimed to be due
at the date of this Notice the
sum of Two Thousand Eight
Hundred Twelve and 52/100
(\$2,812.52) Dollars, and no suit
or proceedings at law or in
equity having been instituted
to recover the debt secured by
said Mortgage, or any part
thereof.

Now, Therefore, by virtue of
the power of sale contained in
said Mortgage, and pursuant to
the Statute of the State of
Michigan in such case made and
provided, notice is hereby
given that on the 16th day of
April, 1974 at 11:00 in the
forenoon, said Mortgage will be
foreclosed by a sale at public
auction to the highest bidder,
at the front door of the Court
House in the City of Grayling,
Crawford County, Michigan
(that being the building where
the Circuit Court for the
County of Crawford is held) of
the premises described in said
Mortgage, or so much thereof
as may be necessary to pay the
amount due on said Mortgage,
with interest thereon at seven
(7%) per cent per annum and
all legal costs, charges and
expenses, including the attor-
ney fees allowed by law, and
also any sums which may be
paid by the undersigned to
protect its interest in the
premises. Which said premises
are described as follows:

The lands, premises
and property situated
in the Township of
South Branch, County
of Crawford, State of
Michigan, described as
follows: Lot 86, South
Branch Ranch, Unit
No. 1, being part of
the West 1/2 of the
Southwest 1/4 of Sec-
tion 2, and part of the
East 1/2 of Section 3,
Town 25 North, Range
2 West, according to
the recorded Plat there-
of as recorded in Liber
3 of Plats on Page 21.

The period of redemption
according to MSA 27A.3240(4)
expires three (3) months from
the date of sale.

Valley National Bank
Assignee of the Mortgage
Dated: March 6, 1974.
E. Louis Ognisanti
Braun, Kendrick, Finkbeiner,
Schafer & Murphy
812 Second National Bank Bldg.
Saginaw, Michigan 48607
14-21-28-4-11

Notice To
Bidders

The Board of Crawford Coun-
ty Road Commissioners will
accept sealed bids until 10:00
a.m., March 29, 1974 for the
following:

One Tandem Drive Truck
Centerline marking
Gravel - 22A
Bit. Agg. Surf. Crse 4.09
One Automobile
Specifications and additional
information may be obtained
from the Road Commission
office, 320 State Street, Gray-
ling, Michigan 49738.

The Board reserves the right
to reject any or all bids and
accept the bid which they
consider to be in the best
interest of the county.

E. E. Richter, Chrm.
H. T. Johnson, Member
L. Mattis, Member

To be published in Crawford
County Avalanche March 7 &
14, 1974.

Road Commis-
sioners Minutes

February 22, 1974

A regular meeting of the
Board of Crawford County
Road Commissioners held in
their office in Grayling, Chair-
man Richter presiding. Mem-
bers present, Commissioners
Ervin E. Richter, Harold T.
Johnson and Lawrence Mattis
and Engineer Manager John M.
Keir. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last
regular meeting were read. A
motion was made by Comm.
Mattis, supported by Comm.
Johnson that the minutes be
approved as read. All voted in
favor, motion carried.

Voucher No. 79 covering
Payroll No. 4 in the amount of
\$16,834.40 and Vouchers No. 80
to 108 covering materials in the
amount of \$22,987.23 were
presented for approval. A
motion was made by Comm.
Johnson, supported by Comm.
Mattis that Vouchers No. 79 to
108 be approved and warrants
drawn in their respective
amounts. All voted in favor,
motion carried.

The Annual Certification of
Roads was studied by the
Commissioners. A motion was
made by Comm. Mattis, sup-
ported by Comm. Johnson that
all roads appearing on the
Certification Maps and marked
as to length were under the
jurisdiction of the County Road
Commission as of December 31,
1973. All voted in favor, motion
carried.

A letter was received from
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Kayne in
regard to a road north from
McMaster Bridge Road to the
River. Engr. Mgr. Keir was
requested to reply.

A discussion was held on
equipment and material needs
for this year. Engr. Mgr. Keir
was authorized to advertise for
trucks, centerline painting and
gravel as needed.

There being no further busi-
ness a motion was made and
supported to adjourn. All voted
in favor, motion carried, meet-
ing adjourned.

/s/ Florence S. Douglas, Sec.
/s/ Ervin E. Richter, Chrm.

Legal Notice

FORECLOSURE
OF MORTGAGE

Default having been made in
the condition of a certain mort-
gage made the 26th day of
June, 1972 by Richard R.
Sajdak, as Mortgagor, to the
GRAYLING STATE BANK, a
Michigan Corporation of Gray-
ling, Michigan, as Mortgagee,
and recorded on August 15,
1972 in the office of the Reg-
ister of Deeds for Crawford
County, Michigan, in Liber 119
at page 479 on which mortgage
there is claimed to be due and
unpaid at the date of this
notice, Nine Thousand Three
Hundred Eighty-Five and 10/-
100 Dollars (\$9,385.10) includ-
ing interest; no suit or proceed-
ing at law or in equity having
been instituted to recover the
debt, or any part of the debt,
secured by said mortgage, and
the power of sale in said
mortgage contained having be-
come operative of such default.

Notice is hereby given that
on July 5, 1974, at 2:15 o'clock
in the afternoon at the front
door of the courthouse in the
City of Grayling, there will be
offered for sale and sold to the
highest bidder, at public sale,
for the purpose of satisfying the
amounts due and unpaid upon
said mortgage, together with
the legal costs and charges of
sale, including an attorney fee
of One Hundred Dollars (\$100)
provided by law and in said
mortgage, the lands and prem-
ises in said mortgage mentioned
and described as follows, to-wit:

The following described land
situated in the Township of
Frederic, Crawford County,
State of Michigan, viz:

Lot Ten (10) of Block
Two (2) of Dilley's
Addition to the Village
of Frederic, Frederic
Township, Crawford
County, Michigan.

The redemption period shall
be one year from the date of
such sale.

Dated: February 25, 1973
/s/ John H. Alef, Pres.
The Grayling State Bank
Mortgagee

Emil L. Kraus
Attorney for Mortgagee
228 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, Michigan 49738
348-3123

last run May 23

Public
Auction

The following vehicle will be
sold at Public Auction on
Saturday, March 16, at 11 a.m.
at the Crawford County Sher-
iff's Office: One (1) 1973 4-door
Chevrolet.

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A.B.W.A. News

The Grayling Charter Chapter of The A.B.W.A. held their February meeting at the Hotel Shoppenagon with 21 members present and 1 guest. We all enjoyed a very nice dinner, complete with Strawberry Shortcake. Elaine Harland called the meeting to order.

Joann Hall was the vocational speaker for the evening. Joann works at the High School in the lunch room. The things that she does keep her busy and she loves to work with the kids. She helps make sandwiches, fill the machines, as well as collect money at the cash register. Sounds like a nice job. Joann.

Mrs. Beck, R.N. gave our program for the evening. She explained the new L.P.N. that is now in progress at Kirtland College. There are 34 students in the present class. These students had to pass a P.A.C.E. test, then are screened by the school officials to see if they would be suitable for the program. The 1st class graduated in January and will soon write

their State Boards to become licensed Practical Nurses. The 3rd class is being screened now, they will start in August. Three area hospitals participate in the program, Tawas, West Branch and Grayling. This is where the student receives the practical floor experience that is so necessary to make a good nurse. There are also some convalescent homes that take part in the program. Mrs. Beck said the program will grow or decrease as the area needs change. Each semester of the program was reviewed and some of the problems of the program and nursing in general were brought up. Mrs. Beck is an excellent speaker and her program was very enlightening to us all. Thank You again for a nice talk.

Committee reports were given, no minutes were available. There are two meetings coming up. District convention and a luncheon at Howell. Anyone wishing to attend, contact our president as reservations must be made in advance.

Our next meeting will be at the Holiday Inn, March 19th, at 6:30 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tarrant who have Stress Line will be our speakers.

Jackie Ruddy has our new camera, it is a Kodak Instamatic, 'that anyone can use.' We will be taking a roll of film per meeting.

The scrap book is shaping up nicely and was at the meeting, nice work Edith, I for one, was very happy to see it.

Perfect attendance awards for 1973 were given out. They went to Pat Schreiner, Jackie Ruddy, Marie Akers and Eunice Schreiber. Let's all try harder to get on that list for 1974.

Voting was done for the new 1974 officers. Roberta Wright as a past President installed the new officers. They are: President, Jackie Ruddy; Vice President, Elaine Harland; Recording Sec. Carla Roskosky; Corresponding Sec., Marie Akers; Treasurer, Sally Wert. These are the new leaders for the coming year. We wish them all good luck and want to say to the 1973 officers that they did a great job. Thanks again. The officers make up the executive board and will choose the new committee Chairmen and committees. These will be announced at the next meeting.

Don't forget Holiday Inn, March 19th, 6:30 p.m. Why not bring a friend. See you then?

Tanya Pelt, Publicity

Thanks from Florida

We are enjoying the shuffleboard that was installed for us at our place in Florida. It is a fine job and we must again thank the Grayling Booster Club for our wonderful day and the many things done for us on Sept. 9, 1973; and, of course, the shuffleboard is the one we are enjoying here.

Mr. & Mrs. Jack Millikin

NOTICE

Opportunity for Hearing

All interested citizens are advised that the Crawford County Road Commission is proposing to improve a County Primary Road in Beaver Creek Township, Crawford County.

Staley Lake Road from Four Mile Road thence south 1.60 miles to the intersection with Perc Cheney Road thence east 1.07 miles. A twenty-two foot (22') wide bituminous aggregate surface course 4.09 is to be placed.

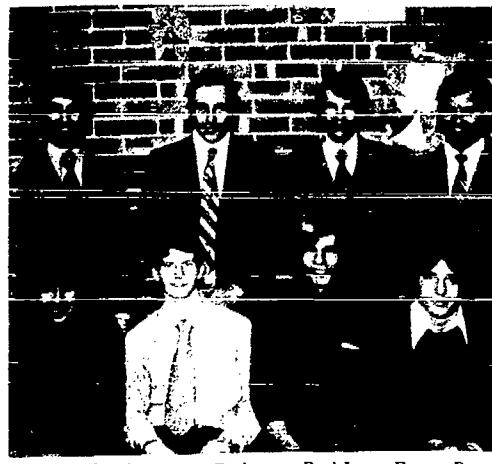
Information, a negative declaration of environmental impact and plans for the above improvements are available for public inspection at the Crawford County Road Commission office, 320 State Street, Grayling, Michigan 49738.

Under provision of Federal Law any citizen who would be affected by the proposed improvements may request, in writing, that the Crawford County Road Commission hold a formal public hearing concerning the social, environmental and economic effect of this project.

Such a written request should be mailed to the Crawford County Road Commission office. This request must be received on or before March 28, 1974.

To be published in the Crawford County Avalanche March 7 and 14, 1974.

Student Turnover Day



The administration. — Back row. Paul Lerg, Fraser Dean, Kent Reynolds, Mike Branch. Front row. Jim Shirkey, Jim Hulbert, Dean Molnar and Dan McClain.

The student turnover day at Grayling High School was thought to be a great success by both the teachers and the students.

All seniors that took part in the program felt that they learned a great deal from every aspect of the typical school day. Most of the students agreed the program was a valuable experience and it should become a permanent activity at Grayling High School. The comment heard most was that there is a great deal of work involved in the occupation of a teacher and the other administrators.

All seniors filled out an evaluation sheet at the end of the day. One important suggestion was that in future years the turnover day take place for more than one day so the students could set a goal and have more time to work for it within the classroom.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL TOWNSHIP MEETINGS

Notice is Hereby Given That the Annual Township Meetings of the Electors of the
TOWNSHIPS LISTED BELOW, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD
State of Michigan, will be held at the places indicated below, on

Saturday, March 30th

—:— 1974 —:—

TAKE NOTICE — Though laws enacted by the 1944 Michigan Legislature cancel the election in even-numbered years, the law stipulates that the regular Annual Township Meeting shall be held each year.

Some of the requirements set forth by statute concerning the Annual Township Meeting are:

SECTION 3007 The electors of each election district in each township shall meet in the afternoon or evening at the polling place . . . and there transact such business as is usually transacted at Township meeting, by viva voce vote.

SECTION 1015 — All accounts audited by such (township) board shall be . . . produced at the next Annual Township Meeting and there ready by him (the clerk) if the same shall be required by the meeting.

WHO MAY VOTE — Section 1050: Each inhabitant of any township, having the qualifications of an elector as specified in the constitution of this state, and no other person, shall have a right to vote on all matters and questions before any township meeting.

CONDUCT OF MEETING — Section 1032 . . . The Supervisor, if present, shall be the moderator of the meeting, and if he shall not be present . . . the meeting . . . may elect a moderator.

SECTION 1033: . . . He shall decide all questions of order and make public declarations of all votes passed, and when any vote so declared by him shall immediately upon such declaration by him be questioned by seven (7) or more voters, shall make the vote certain by polling the votes, or by dividing the meeting, unless the township shall, by a previous vote, or by their by-laws have otherwise provided.

SECTION 1034: No person shall address the meeting before permission obtained of the moderator, nor while any person is speaking by his permission; and all persons at such meeting shall be silent at the request of the moderator.

SECTION 1035: If . . . any person shall conduct himself in a disorderly manner, and after notice from the moderator shall persist therein, the moderator may order him to withdraw . . . and on his refusal, may order the constables, or any other persons, to take him into custody until the meeting is adjourned.

SECTION 1036: Any person who shall refuse to withdraw on being ordered by the moderator to do so . . . shall, for each such offense, forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars.

CHALLENGED VOTERS — Section 1050: When any persons claiming the right to vote shall be challenged by a voter, the moderator shall proceed in the same manner as on challenges at the election of township officers.

IN ADDITION -- A Hearing On The Proposed Budget Will Be Provided. A Copy Of The Proposed Budget Will Be on Hand For Inspection.

BEAVER CREEK Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL
At 7:00 p.m.
[Signed]
FLORENCE NELSON
Clerk

FREDERIC Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL
At 1:00 p.m.
[Signed]
MILDRED HARMER
Clerk

GRAYLING Township

AT COUNCIL RM., CITY BLDG.
At 1:00 p.m.
[Signed]
ELIZABETH WIELAND
Clerk

MAPLE FOREST Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL At 7:30 p.m.
[Signed] CARRIE BAYNHAM, Clerk

LOVELLS Township

AT TOWNSHIP HALL At 1:30 p.m.
[Signed] EVELYN RATES, Clerk

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Community Service Organization - Community Service Association

Salesman

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to increase sales, establish new dealerships and maintain the every-increasing interest in archery that the industry is experiencing.

Bear Archery, for example, experienced a 40% increase in sales in 1973 compared to the archery industry's dramatic 20% growth during the same period.

'Blackburn joined the Bear organization in 1970 and has since proved himself well versed on all aspects of the archery field,' stated Ray Fling, Sales Manager. 'During the short period of time Saffell Blackburn has been with 'Team Bear,' he has increased tremendously the amount of archery interest and sales in his territory of Ohio, Kentucky, Southern Indiana and a portion of West Virginia,' Fling added.

Prior to joining Bear Archery, Blackburn was employed at Biggs Sporting Goods and was manager of Gator Sporting Goods, both in Pensacola, Florida.

Blackburn and his wife Susan have three children, Josh, 7, Samuel, 6, and Elizabeth, 3 months, and reside in Lexington, Kentucky.

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Tip Off 74 SSI Alert

Do you know someone who is 65 and older, or blind, or in some way disabled? If you do, please tell them of Supplemental Security Income (SSI). Under a New Social Security program more people may qualify for financial benefits.

The volunteer undertaking, SSI Alert, is part of a nationwide effort to provide information about the new program to people in financial need who are 65 and over, or under 65 but blind or disabled, according to John Evans the local project director.

SSI payments are being made to aged, blind and dis-

abled who have little or no income and limited resources. People who were receiving public assistance as of December 1973 were generally switched to the new program automatically. All others have to apply at their Social Security Office.

Payments will be made by the Social Security Administration, but the program is separate from Social Security. Mr. Dale Averill, manager of the Traverse City Social Security Office said his staff and more than 600 other Social Security district offices across the nation are cooperating in SSI Alert.

This is a volunteer project and requires all of us to be fully aware of our responsibility to our fellow man. The only way the program can succeed is through your help. Local volunteer groups or individuals who may want to take part or receive additional information should get in touch with John Evans by calling (616) 256-9242.

Library

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Business Association. The following donations are in Memory of Carl W. Johnson, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Gene Harner, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Newberry, \$15 Mr. & Mrs. Larry Baynham, \$10 Mr. & Mrs. Max Tobin, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Hulbert, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Ray Middleton, \$5 Mr. & Mrs. Steve Olson, \$5 Edith Payne, \$3 Mr. & Mrs. Gerald Small, \$1.50 Mr. & Mrs. Gene Gabriel, \$1.50 Mr. & Mrs. Elroy Barber, \$5 Esther Gibbons, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. Vance Horner, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth Allen, \$3 Mr. & Mrs. John Miller, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. Wilson Cox, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. James Madill, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. Gene Kaiser, \$2 Martha Peterson, \$1 Mr. & Mrs. Fay Barrows, \$2 Mr. & Mrs. Albert Madioli.

\$1375 is still needed to reach our goal. If anyone would like to donate they can send their donation to our Treasurer Marion White, Box 136, Frederic, Michigan 49733. Anyone wanting to place a Memorial can contact Merna Newberry at 348-9960 or 348-8365.

2 Complete Gen-Tel Class

Marvel Zimmerman, installation and maintenance supervisor, and Eldon Norman, central office supervisor, for General Telephone, both of Grayling, recently completed the company's "Basic-Management" course held at its state headquarters training center in Norton Shores, near Muskegon, according to Walt Hansen, division manager for the company.

The objective of the five-day course is to acquaint supervisors with the techniques of successful supervision, focusing on management responsibility and behavior. The course also explores current theory and common sense methods for motivating employees and describes "Management by Objectives," a system management which leads to improved communication between supervisor and subordinate.

Zimmerman was among General Telephone supervisory employees from many areas of the state during the five-day training session. The course is part of General Telephone's continuing effort to provide better telephone service through well-informed, highly-skilled employees.

WHAT-WHERE-WHEN

3-21 Pack 993 Pack meeting, 7:30 p.m. Grayling Elementary School.

4-4 Pack 993 Committee meeting, 7:30 p.m. Michigan Consolidated Gas Co.

Mar. 14 - ABWA Spring Enrollment Tea, 7:30 p.m. Viking Room of Chief Shoppenagons. Interested women contact any member.

Mar. 19, ABWA regular meeting, 6:30 p.m. at Holiday Inn.

Frederic Business Association

March 6th meeting: Officers were elected, they are as stands, President: Alan Leng, Vice President: Bud Sheggrud, Treasurer: Marion White, Secretary: Merna Newberry, Trustees: Dean Welsh, Ken Newberry, Elmer Haggadone. Gaylord Bank is a new contributed member.

Frederic Business Association letter was completed and mailed out. We would like to thank Caryl and Bud Sheggrud of Twin Peaks and Merna Newberry of Newberry's General Store, for all the hours of work and time put into it. Thanks to the letter we have two new Associate members, Mr. Earl Westbrook and Fay Barrows. It is good to see that they are interested in supporting the Business Association, in their efforts of the promotion and betterment of the Frederic area. Welcome aboard.

Discussion was made in contacting, the Cub Scout and Boy Scouts this year again to help with the spring clean up, after the good job that was done last year.

Membership dues are coming up again at the next meeting March 20th. If unable to attend make payment of dues, to Marion White at the Frederic General Store. We would much rather have your ideas and support at the meeting than your absence, you would be surprised at what we can learn from each other.

Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all those who helped make our open house for our 35th Anniversary a success.

Pearlie and Eleanor White



Promote Senior Trip—Seniors Crystal Brown and Keyna Darling, left to right, display School Spirit Tumblers posters. The senior class is now taking orders for the 16 Oz. tumblers, which come in sets of six, in the school colors, green and white. They are virtually unbreakable, dishwasher safe and stack without sticking. They sell for \$3.00 a set, proceeds from which will be used to help defray the cost of the senior class trip to Cedar Point, Ohio.

New Business Opens In Mall

The latest business to open in the Grayling Mini Mall is the "Insights & Sounds" which will sell records, posters, incense and youth oriented novelties.

Located in the South Concourse of the Mini-Mall directly across from the Treeheart Galleries, the business will be owned and operated by Don Shiel and Jim Regner both of St. Helen.

They will special order records with a week delivery and also sell discounted phonograph needles and accessories for records.

Presently they will be open daily from Noon until 8:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday and 10:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m. on Saturday.

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SPECIALS
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MARCH 13 THRU 17
WE LIMIT QUANTITIES

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SAVORY SLICED

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9 AM - 9 PM
EVERY DAY



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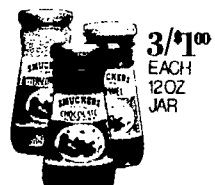


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ST. PATRICK'S DAY SALE

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MRS. OWENS GRAPE
JAM **39¢**

NON DAIRY CREAMER
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16 Oz. Jar **69¢**

KRAFT SOFT PARKAY

OLEO

16 Oz. Pkg.

59¢



LIBBY - 46 Oz. **TOMATO JUICE** **49¢**

AUNT JEMIMA COMPLETE - 2lb. Pkg. **PANCAKE MIX** **59¢**

AUNT JEMIMA - 24 Oz. Bd. **PANCAKE SYRUP** **69¢**

MANWICH - 15 Oz. Cans **BARBECUE SAUCE** **2/49¢**

CAMPBELL'S - 10 1/2 Oz. Cans **TOMATO SOUP** **7/\$1.00**

LIQUID BLEACH 1/2 Gal. **ROMAN CLEANSER** **49¢**

BATTER MIX - 40 Oz. Pkg. **BISQUICK** **89¢**

VET'S - LB. Cans **DOG FOOD** **8/\$1.00**

CORAL LIQUID - 22 Oz. Bd. **DETERGENT** **19¢**

EMPRESS BRAND - 7 1/2 Oz. Cans FOR **SARDINES** **3/\$1.00**

GRADE 'A' SMALL - 2 1/2 Doz. Pack. **EGGS** **\$1.39**

RADISHES EACH **10¢**

GREEN ONIONS A POUND **10¢**

CABBAGE
BEGAS

